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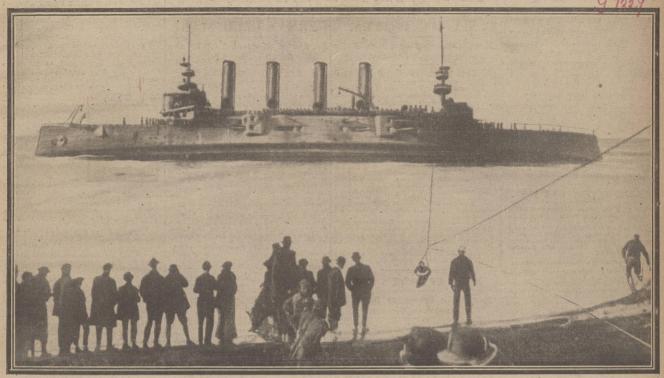
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SCENES—BOATS DRIVEN BACK RESCUE IN THRILLING VAIN STRUGGLE REACH WRECKED CRUISER. TO



This is the first photograph to reach England of the United States cruiser Milwaukee stranded on the rocks off the coast of California. Attempts were made to reach the vessel in small boats, but they battled in vain against adverse currents for more than

two hours and this means of bringing aid to the crew had to be abandoned. Here one of the men is seen being rescued by the breeches buoy, which safely brought a number of men to, the shore. The remainder were taken off after the sea had subsided.

WINTER CAMPAIGN AGAINST KING FROST BARGES FROZEN UP ON THE GRAND JUNCTION CANAL.



A scene at one of the lock gates





Barges frozen up. Many are now idle.

This canal rises by a series of forty-nine locks from Paddington Basin to the "Cow Roast," near Tring, and in this way crosses the Chiltern Hills on its way to Birmingham and the North. But King Frost has ordained that all traffic must cease during his reign,

Ice-breakers, drawn by a dozen horses, are trying to open the passage, but the chilly monarch is offering the most stubborn resistance, and the progress of the present offeasive, though, conducted in a vigorous manner, is very slow.

HOW 6d. A WEEK WILL YIELD £6.500,000.

Working Man's Appeal to "Mates" to Help Loan.

A NATIONAL CRUSADE.

The War Loan was booming all over the country yesterday.

The provinces are everywhere making a magnificent response to the country's call.

Already over 950 committees are hard at

Nearly all the large towns and most of the small ones are now being actively organised.

organised.

A workman belonging to the Team By-Product.

Coke Works War Savings Association has issued a striking "appeal" to working men.

The pamphlet, which is concluded in homely, but forceful, language, appeals to the writer's "mates" to subscribe to the Loan or to buy War Savings Certificates

He shows how necessary it is for everyone to the all he ago.

He shows how necessary it is for everyone to do all he can.

Any workman (he adds) who saves his money and keeps it in the house "is a traitor, and of the worst type, too."

Assuming that there are only five million workers in the British Isles, he adds, and that each one puts a "tanner" wavy each week, that would amount to £125,000 a week, or £6,500,000 in the year.

CHURCH AND STAGE.

The Farmers' Unions are doing splendid work in the agricultural districts. Dinner-hour meetings are being held in the market towns on market days, while the unions are giving every information to intending investors.

London, too, has caught the fire of enthusiasm.

asm. The churches held a conference last night, and it is probable that special sermons will be preached on the duty of self-sacrifice. The theatrical managers are holding a meeting at the Adelphi Theatre to-morrow to decide

SAFER IN THE WAR LOAN.

In a police court case it was stated that missing hand-bag had contained £8 in

gold.

Three hundred sovereigns which he had secreted between the rafters and roof of his cottage at Ballymore (Co. Westmeath) have been stolen from an aged labourer named Moran

upon what steps their profession shall take towards helping the loan.

Meanwhile the Moss Empires throughout the country have decided, through their managing director, Mr. Frank Allen, to exhibit War Loan films at all their houses as a free gift to the nation's cause.

Wandsworth Borough Council have decided on a scheme by which they will take £15,000 worth of loan, paying their bankers back at the rate of £5,000 a year.

The loan organisers are very anxious that members of their heaving accounts more properties. The loan of Victory.

Members of the public with insurance policies can also help the nation to a triumphant conclusion of the war by realising on their policies for benefit of the loan.

Mr Richard Vassar Vassar-Smith, presiding at the annual meeting of Lloyds Bank at Birmingham yesterday, said he would like to call attention to the facilities offered by the bank to borrowers for the purpose of subscribing to the control of the facilities offered by the bank to borrowers for the purpose of subscribing to the facilities of the facilities offered by the bank to borrowers for the purpose of subscribing to the facilities of the facilities o

WOMEN AND GERMANS.

Farm Workers Who Object to Hun Prisoners on the Land.

Farmers in the Walton-on-Thames district are to be asked to vote whether or not they are agreeable to German prisoners working on their farms.

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Agriculture explaining the conditions under which it was possible to obtain seventy-five German prisoners of war for farm work, the chairman of the Walton War Agricultural Committee said he had heard in the villages that much resentment was being expressed by women farm workers at their being employed on the same farm as Germans.

It was only natural that they should dislike men who had brought about the loss of their own husbands, brothers or sweethearts. After the reading of a circular from the Board of Agriculture explaining the conditions under which, it was possible to obtain seventy-five German prisoners of war for farm work, the chairman of the Walton War Agricultural Committee said he had heard in the villages that much resemble they have reached a given age. Thirty or thirty-five is suggested as the age. Others embrace changes as regards registration, qualification, distribution of seats and methods and costs of elections. Suffragetless went to the Prime Minister's residence in Downing-street yesterday with the a big five in Frederick-street, Cardiff, which aging the five a big five in Frederick-street, Cardiff, which ragged until yesterday morning to think that those who suggested as the age. Others embrace changes as regards registration, qualification, distribution of seats and methods and costs of elections. Suffragetless went to the Prime Minister's residence in Downing-street yesterday with the avowed purpose of obtaining from Kr. Lloyd George an answer to a letter which had been a big fire in Frederick-street, Cardiff, which ragged until yesterday morning and the country clergy agricultural labour committee were destroyed, and medical cards were blown by the force of the wind all over the city.

Miss Dorothy Evans and Miss Elizabeth Barion, who formed the deputation, waited for some time on the Premeir's doorstep.

Subsequently they were admitted to No. 18. Downing-street were handed a reply from Mr. Lloyd George, which they intimated they considered unsatisfactory.



A hewitzer about to be fired. A snow scene from the Western front.—(Official photograph.)

SIX ICE DEATHS.

Naval Officer's Tragic Fate While Libel Suit Story of Exit by the Skating Yesterday.

WELSH VALLEY'S COLD RECORD

Skating was general yesterday. In the Swansea Valley 12deg, of frost were registered. It is the coldest weather for the district for ninety years. Several ice fatalities are reported.

Commander C. Paget, R.N., retired, was drowned whilst skating on the Broadwater, Oatlands Park.

At Grimsby a schoolboy of fourteen was drowned, and two brothers, aged sixteen and nine, met a similar fate at Rhiosneigh. Park.

A collier was shiding at Woodville, near Burnonn-Tren, when the the broke and he was of eleven at Moire, in the same district.

The thermometer in London yesterday showed a minimum of 27deg. Ice formed over the water in the docks for the first time for many years.

At Worcester the Severn is frost bound, the first time since 1895, traffic to Gloucester being impossible. The Severn Commission icebreaker is powerless.

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Telegrams from Berlin to Copenhagen (says the Exchange) state that there has been a heavy fall of snow over the whole of North Germany and especially in East Prussia. In Berlin on Monday the temperature was 7deg. Fahr.

Foxes made an attempted raid on a poultry house in broad daylight yesterday near Chobbars. Surges.

DIED AT DUTY'S POST.

Impressive Scenes at Burial of Explosion Victims.

Hundreds of firemen from every brigade in and around London and from places as far distant as Gloucester took part in the public funeral given Sub-Officer Vickers and Fireman Sell yesterday, who perished in the East End munitions factory explosion. The coffins were borne on motor fire-engines.

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With them were buried Fireman Sell's eldest daughter, Winifred, and the infant daughter of Fireman Betts.
Floral tokens poured in from local fire brigades, and one from the Essex Volunteers bore the message: "They died at their post of duty."

bore the message: "They died at their post of duty," to church service the Bishop of Chelmanized and he had often wished there were some decoration equal in distinction, to the V.C. When men risked their lives to save life they should have recognition equal to those who displayed heroism on the battlefield. Several more inquests were held yesterday on the victims of the explosion. In the case of Constable Greenoff, it was stated that he did all he could to keep the crowd back, explosion. When the explosion occurred the officer was badly injured.

A soldier said the policeman's devotion to duty undoubtedly saved his (witness) life.

VOTES FOR WOMEN.

Speaker's Committee Recommends Municipal Suffrage for Adults.

GERMAN CLUB SCENE.

Scruff of the Neck.

APPLAUSE IN COURT.

"I had already thrown one of the directors of the German Athenaeum Club out by the scruff of his neck," a witness told Mr. Justice Darling yesterday, when the piano trade libel action was

yesectualy, when the plano trade nice accoon was resumed in the King's Bench Division.

The action had been brought by Mr. Lindlar, a German by birth and a naturalised Englishman and freeman of the City of London, against the Pianomaker.

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Mr. John A. McCandlish, secretary of the Services Club, which took over the premises of the German Athenæum Club, gave evidence as to the trouble that arose in connection with the occupation of the premises.

A naval officer who heard the plaintiff use the word "schweinerei" told witness what it meant.

"If I had known what they had said," declared witness, "I would have bundled them out quick. I had already thrown one of the directors out by the scrutif of his neck because he was impertinent."

Mr. Herbert Sinclair, the defendant, said he wrote the article eagain he would say the same things, "because I know," he added, "that Max Lindlar is a German at heart."

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TRAGEDY OF A CAFE.

Alleged Shooting of Daughter of a Sergeant-Major.

"Sergeant-Major, I love your daughter," de-clared Private Thomas Breen, of the Royal Defence Corps, stationed at Hereford, when seized after shooting Freda Wilson, the daughter of Sergeant-Major Wilson, of the same corps. Breen, it is alleged, used a carbine, the girl being twice wounded in the body. This hap-pened late on Monday night in a cafe kept by the I is alleged that Breen had paid attentions to the girl and had said that no one else would have her.

have her.

He was charged yesterday morning with felonious wounding. He has been remanded

MAN POWER FIRST.

Marchioness Townshend Against Compulsory Female Service.

"Settle the man power question before mobilising the womanhood of the nation for national service," said the Marchioness Townshend, to The Daily Mirror yesterday.
"Chaos only would result in an attempt to deal with both men and women at the same

"It is amazing to think that those who suggest that both should be dealt with simultaneously do not realise that one problem (the organisation of the women) is dependent on the measure of success attending the other. "As for compulsory national service, there should certainly be no such measure for women,"

A CLYDE DEPORTEE DEFIES THE LAW.

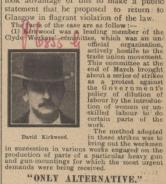
Government Take Steps to Rearrest Kirkwood.

"FACTS OF THE CASE."

The case of David Kirkwood, a Clyde deportee, was mentioned by the Ministry of Munitions yesterday, and the Ministry announce that steps have been taken to secure his rearrest. The statement by the Ministry of Munitions is as follows:-

David Kirkwood, one of the men re-moved from the Clyde-under the Defence of the Realm Regulations, attended last week's conference of the Labour Party at Manchester.

His trade union, the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, had been notified by the Ministry of Munitions that there was no objection to his attendance, and he took advantage of this to make a public statement that he proposed to return to



"ONLY ALTERNATIVE."

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porting ten men who, while they had not publicly
advocated the policy, were known to have
abetted it. Among these latter was kirkwood.

(3) Before the men were removed, the case of
each man was fully investigated by the Procurator Fiscal and by the competent military

15 DAYS LEFT

For you to take your share of the War Loan. no matter how small.

authority. All the men were given the alternative of returning quietly to work or leaving the Glasgow area.

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All except one chose the latter alternative, and he was allowed to return to work and no further action was taken against him.

Further, in the course of an interview which followed in Edinburgh, three men, of whom Kirkwood was one, were asked whether they would prefer to be put on their trial, and they expressed their preference for deportation.

(4) Work was found for the men, after deportation, and where necessary expenses were paid.

(5) On August 7 six men were given an opportunity of returning to Glasgow on signing an undertaking, the terms of which were:

(a) To accept suitable employment and remain at work.

(b) To abstain from any act in any way likely to prejudice the supply of munitions; and (c) To submit any grievances through the usual trade union channels.

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Four of the men agreed to signt this understaking. Two returned to Glasgow, one remained at Dunfermline, the fourth returned to Canada. He has returned, and steps have been taken to secure his re arrest. Such as the second to the secure his rearrest. The secure his rearrest given to Kirkwood, because he had persistently refused to work. This opportunity was, however, given recently and refused.

(7) Before his rearrest Kirkwood was given another opportunity of signing the undertaking and again refused.

ENGINE-ROOM HERO HONOURED.

When the steamship Vanellus, laden with petrol, struck a mine in the Havre Roads, and the vessel burst into flames, the third engineer, Mr. Joseph Conolly, stuck to his post Mr. Conolly, although badly burnt, kept the engines working astern, and made it possible for a lifeboat to be lowered. As a reward for his heroism the King has given him the Albert Medal of the Second Class.

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The facts of the case are as follow:—
Kirkwood was a leading member of the Clyde Workers committee, which was an un official organisation.
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The method adopted in these strikes was to bring out the workmen in succession in various works engaged on the production of parts of a particular heavy gun and gun-mountings for which the most urgent demands were being received.

BOGUS ETON BOY.

Government Steps to Rearrest Remarkable Story of a Lad Who "Wanted To Be a Toff."

An extraordinary story of a boy who escaped

from a recommatory school and posed as an Bton scholar was told yesterday at the Marylebone Police Court.

The accused, Frederick Oldney, a good-looking and intelligent lad of sixteen, appeared in the dock dressed as an Eton boy, and carrying in his hand a well-polished silk hat and a short cane.

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He was charged with stealing £8 in gold, a £1 Treasury note, two cheque-books and other things to the total value of £10, the property of Mrs. Lilian Betty Hardy.

Mrs. Hardy said her husband invited the boy home to have lunch with her invalid son. During her temporary absence he disappeared with her handbag.

When a delection with her invalid son, but a stription with a stription of the said with a stription to me. I have spent it was a great temptation to me. I have spent it all except half a crown travelling to different places. I had a midnight trip to luverpool and back, and I have had a good time at Brighton." Asked where he got has Eton clothes from he said: "I only bought the clothes for swank, because I want to be a toff." A remand was granted.

NEWS ITEMS.

To enable shop assistants to do war work a whole closing day is proposed instead of an early closing day.

Rhodesia's Wish.

Rhodesia is anxious to send a representative to the proposed conference on the Empire's resources, says a Buluwayo telegram.

Royal Venison Sold for Charity. Venison, sold by the King, realised £430 68, 7d., which was sent to the Joint War Com-mittee of the Red Cross and the Order of St. John.

War Pictures at Brighton.

The exhibition of the Canadian official war photographs will be opened at Brighton Art Galleries on Monday by Major-General Sir R. E. W. Turner, V.C.

Ham Baker, who was formerly the champion long-distance runner of Kent, and made the record for the Long the Control of the Control of the Control of the Long the Control of the Control of Meyerstheon the Control of the Control (Newcastle-on-Tyne, who was one of the best-known racing cyclists in the North of England in the early days of the

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The firemen mourners in the procession,



Army officers in the cortege.



The engines on which the coffins were placed. A police band, their drums covered with crape, preceded them.

Sub-Officer Vickers and Fireman Sell have answered the call for the last time, and yester-day made their last journey on the engine between dense crowds of people and followed by sorrowing colleagues. Both men perished in the great explosion in the East End, and

BRITAIN FROST-BOUND-THE SERVICES TAKE A LITTLE RELAXATION AND GO SKATING.







The frost continued yesterday, and there were few sheets of water around London which did not permit of skating, though a ban has been put on the park lakes until a thickness

of 3in, is recorded. The outside pictures were taken at the Skating Club, Regent's Park—(Daily Mirror photographs.)